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2a)⊠ This action is FINAL . 2b)□ Thi	is action is non-fin	al.					
3) Since this application is in condition for allowatelosed in accordance with the practice under a Disposition of Claims				merits is			
4)⊠ Claim(s) <u>1-15,18 and 21-26</u> is/are pending in t	the application.						
4a) Of the above claim(s) 15 and 18 is/are with	drawn from consid	leration.					
5) Claim(s) is/are allowed.							
6)⊠ Claim(s) <u>1-14 and 21-26</u> is/are rejected.							
7) Claim(s) is/are objected to.							
8) Claim(s) are subject to restriction and/or	r election requirem	nent.					
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9)⊠ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.							
10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on is/are: a)☐ accepted or b)☐ objected to by the Examiner.							
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).							
11)☐ The proposed drawing correction filed on is: a)☐ approved b)☐ disapproved by the Examiner.							
If approved, corrected drawings are required in reply to this Office action.							
12)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.							
Priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and 120							
13)⊠ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign	priority under 35	U.S.C. § 119(a))-(d) or (f).				
a)⊠ All b)□ Some * c)□ None of:							
 Certified copies of the priority documents 	s have been receiv	/ed.					
2. Certified copies of the priority documents	s have been receiv	ed in Application	on No				
 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)). * See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received. 							
14)☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domesti	14) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) (to a provisional application).						
a) ☐ The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received. 15)☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 120 and/or 121.							
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1) Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2) Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3) Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s)	5) 🔲 🛭		(PTO-413) Paper No(s) atent Application (PTO-				

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Response to Amendment

Specification

1. The amendment filed July 10, 2002 is objected to under 35 U.S.C. 132 because it introduces new matter into the disclosure. 35 U.S.C. 132 states that no amendment shall introduce new matter into the disclosure of the invention. The added material which is not supported by the original disclosure is as follows:

"a first control section which has positional information on a position of the opening of the mask and which causes the extruding section to be driven by controlling the first drive section based on the positional information"; and

"a second control section which has the positional information on the position of the opening of the mask and which causes the squeegee to be driven by controlling the second drive section based on the positional information".

Applicant is required to cancel the new matter in the reply to this Office Action.

Applicant's response was silent to the support in the specification for the two phrases.

- 2. The following is a quotation of the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112:
 - The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor of carrying out his invention.
- 3. Claims 1-14 and 21-26 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as containing subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to reasonably convey to one skilled in the relevant art that the inventor(s), at the time

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the application was filed, had possession of the claimed invention. The specification does not provide support for the first and second control sections having positional information as mentioned above in paragraph 1. The specification provides support for first and second drives sections, but is silent as to the first and second control sections and the positional information used to control the first and second drive sections.

Allowable Subject Matter

4. Claims 1-14 and 21-26 contain subject matter, which is not taught or suggested by the prior art of record; however, removal of the new matter from the claims will cause the rejection based on Kawakami et al to be reinstated.

Conclusion

5. Applicant's amendment necessitated the new ground(s) of rejection presented in this Office action. Accordingly, **THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL**. See MPEP § 706.07(a). Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this final action is set to expire THREE MONTHS from the mailing date of this action. In the event a first reply is filed within TWO MONTHS of the mailing date of this final action and the advisory action is not mailed until after the end of the THREE-MONTH shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed, and any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than SIX MONTHS from the date of this final action.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Robert B. Davis whose telephone number is 703-308-2625. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 9-5:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Wanda L. Walker can be reached on 703-308-0457. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are 703-872-9310 for regular communications and 703-872-9311 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0661.

Robert B. Davis Primary Examiner Art Unit 1722

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